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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Dear Sir

Applicant(s) hereby respond(s) to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated January 26, 2007.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Applicant

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

| <i>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8</i> | | | |
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| I hereby certify that this Response and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input type="checkbox"/> being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop , Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or <input type="checkbox"/> being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Facsimile Number (571) 273-8300. | | | |
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| <i>Signature</i> | | <i>Date</i> | February 2, 2007 |

2. Documents Submitted Herewith

- a. ☒ Executed Declaration of inventor(s)
- b. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:
- i. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- ii. Specification Sequence Listing on:
- (1) ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
- (2) ☐ Paper Copy
- iii. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies
- c. ☐ Verified English translation of application
- d. ☒ Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
- e. ☐ Substitute Drawings
- f. ☐ Other:

3. Application Filing Fee

- a. ☒ No application filing fee due
- b. ☐ Application filing fee due in amount calculated below:

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| BASIC FEE (\$300 FILING FEE + \$200 EXAMINATION FEE + \$500 SEARCH FEE) | | | | \$1,000.00 |
| CLAIMS | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | |
| Total Claims | - 20 = | | x \$50.00 | \$ |
| Independent Claims | - 3 = | | x \$200.00 | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim(s) if applicable | | | + \$360.00 | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application Size Fee (\$250 for each additional 50 sheets over 100) | | | | \$ |
| Total of above calculations = | | | | \$ |
| Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity = | | | | \$() |
| Fee Already Paid = | | | | \$ |
| Fee Due = | | | | \$ |

4. Late Filing of Oath or Declaration Surcharge

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for
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Fee Due \$130.00

5.. Non-English Specification Surcharge

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

Fee Due \$ 0.00

6. (Provisional only) Surcharge for Late Submission

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(g), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

Fee Due \$ 0.00

7. Extension of Time

- ☐ Applicant(s) petition(s) for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$120.00.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe(s) that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant(s) has/have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Fee Due \$

8. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

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| Application Filing Fee | |
| Late Filing of Declaration Surcharge | \$130.00 |
| Non-English Specification Surcharge | \$ 0.00 |
| (Provisional only) Surcharge for Late Submission | \$ 0.00 |
| Extension of Time Fee | \$ 0.00 |

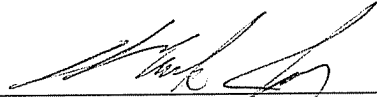
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9. Fee Payment

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$.
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$130.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

10. Fee Deficiency

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.


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